In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 17 of page 11 with the following paragraph, showing revisions:

In a more particular example embodiment of the present invention, the application routing controller uses a pod (*e.g.*, a replication system) 160 having a plurality of replicators 162, 163, 164, ~~166~~ and 165~~168~~. The pod 160 is coupled to the IP network and used for replicating data. In one implementation, the application routing controller is adapted to communicate with and control the pod. The communication and control includes one or more of: effecting the replication of a file, receiving notification of a file receipt at the replicator and obtaining information regarding the state of replication of particular data at the replicators. For instance, when a replication has been completed, the replicators notify the application routing controller 150 that it is complete.